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 Fairchild Family History

FAMILY GROUP No.		Husband's Full Name <u>Jack M. Fairchild, Sr.</u>					
This Information Obtained From:		Husband's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Mrs. Sean Gilmore Inverness, Florida		Birth	1821		Perry Co.	MS	
		Chr'dnd					
Marriage records of Lauderdale Co. MS.		Mar.	20 Oct 1841	Lauderdale	MS		
		Death	8 Apr 1897	Clarke	MS		
		Burial		Sable Cem. Clarke	MS		
Places of Residence		Jones County, Lauderdale Co & Clarke Co MS					
Occupation		Sheep Farmer Church Affiliation					
Other wives, if any. Add (1) etc. Leave separate sheet for each wife.							
His Father <u>Robert Fairchild</u>		Mother's Maiden Name <u>Nancy Taylor</u>					
Wife's Full Maiden Name <u>Eliza Jolley</u>		Wife's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
1850 Clark Co Census		Birth	Feb 1820	Bathurst or Walton Co. GA	GA	MS	
1860, 80, 1900 Lauderdale Co Mrs. Census		Chr'dnd					
		Death	23 May 1904			MS	
		Burial		Sable Cemetery, Clarke Co	MS		
Places of Residence		Ga., Bibb Co. Ala., Lauderdale & Clarke Co. MS.					
Address 1004 Woodlawn Dr.		Occupation If other than Housewife					
City, State Nashville, TN 37204		Church Affiliation					
Other husbands, if any. Add (1) etc. Leave separate sheet for each husband.							
Date 3/26/93		Her Father <u>Bradley Jolley</u> Mother's Maiden Name <u>Elizabeth Eads</u>					
No.	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Child
1	<u>Nancy Elizabeth Fairchild</u> Full Name of Spouse <u>J. W. Malone</u>	Birth	1842			MS	
		Mar.					
		Death	14 Feb 1899			MS	
		Burial					
2	<u>Robert E. Fairchild</u> Full Name of Spouse <u>Mrs. Sarah J. Davis Johnson</u>	Birth	1843			MS	
		Mar.	24 Oct 1860	Lauderdale	MS		
		Death	19 Aug 1878			MS	
		Burial					
3	<u>William B. Fairchild</u> Full Name of Spouse <u>Mary J. Small</u>	Birth	8 Nov 1845			MS	
		Mar.	12 Feb 1868	Clarke Co	MS		
		Death	26 Feb 1907			MS	
		Burial		Sable Cemetery, Clarke Co	MS		
4	<u>Martha Fairchild</u> Full Name of Spouse <u>—</u>	Birth	ca 1847 (mar. 1850 - 1850 Census)			MS	
		Mar.					
		Death	aft 1906				
		Burial					
5	<u>Melissa Ann Fairchild</u> Full Name of Spouse <u>Thomas Callahan</u>	Birth	15 Mar 1850			MS	
		Mar.	3 Feb 1875	Clarke Co	MS		
		Death	19 Jan 1897			MS	
		Burial		Ridgely Cemetery	MS		
6	<u>Lofton M. Fairchild</u> Full Name of Spouse <u>Caledonia Dray</u>	Birth	Mar 1853			MS	
		Mar.	13 Feb 1875	Lauderdale Co	MS		
		Death	aft 1906				
		Burial					
7	<u>James M. Fairchild</u> Full Name of Spouse <u>—</u>	Birth	ca 1855			MS	
		Mar.					
		Death	before 1906				
		Burial					
8	<u>Jack Monroe Fairchild</u> Full Name of Spouse <u>Alice R. Arledge</u>	Birth	Jul 1858			MS	
		Mar.	19 Nov 1877	Clarke Co.	MS		
		Death	8 Feb 1905			MS	
		Burial					
9	<u>Nathan M. Fairchild</u> Full Name of Spouse <u>—</u>	Birth	aft 1860				
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10	<u>Eliza Virginia Fairchild</u> Full Name of Spouse <u>C. D. Saunders</u>	Birth	ca 1862			MS	
		Mar.	5 Sep 1887			MS	
		Death	after 1906				
		Burial					

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<u>1900 Lauderdale Co MS Census</u>		Birth	Jul. 1858			MS	41 in 1900
		Chr'dnd					
<u>Marriage Records of Clarke Co. MS 1873-1881</u>		Mar.	19 Nov 1877	Clarke		MS	
		Death	8 Feb 1905	Perry		MS	
		Burial					
<u>Counties in Clark Co MS</u>		Places of Residence <u>Clarke, Lauderdale, and Perry Counties, MS.</u>					
		Occupation		Church Affiliation		Military Rec.	
<u>Jindalee on fire August 1st</u> <u>Aug 1 MS. year unknown</u> <u>1300 N. Horse Prairie Rd</u> <u>Jacksonville, Florida 34450</u>		Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each wife.					
		<u>His Father Jack M. Fairchild, Sr Mother's Maiden Name Eliza G. Arledge</u>					
Wife's Full Maiden Name <u>Eliza R. Arledge</u>		wife's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
		Birth	Dec 1859			MS	40 in 1900
		Chr'dnd					
		Death	after 1906				
		Burial					
Compiler Robert H. Wright		Places of Residence					
Address 104 Circular St		Occupation if other than Housewife					
City, State Nashville TN 37203		Church Affiliation					
Date 3-26-93		Her Father <u>Arledge</u> Mother's Maiden Name					
Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Child
1.	<u>Tara</u> <u>Anna Fairchild</u> <u>Full Name of Spouse</u>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
2	<u>William D. Fairchild</u> <u>Full Name of Spouse</u>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3	<u>Charles Howard Fairchild</u> <u>Full Name of Spouse</u>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
4	<u>Ethel Fairchild</u> <u>Full Name of Spouse</u>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
5	<u>Daniel Fairchild</u> <u>Full Name of Spouse</u>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
6	<u>Ida M. Fairchild</u> <u>Wall</u> <u>Full Name of Spouse</u>	Birth	Aug 1856			MS	
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
7	<u>Thos. S. Fairchild</u> <u>Full Name of Spouse</u>	Birth	Jan. 1910			MS	
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
8	<u>Cida Fairchild</u> <u>Hawkins</u> <u>Full Name of Spouse</u>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
9	<u>Donna Fairchild</u> <u>Bolton</u> <u>Full Name of Spouse</u>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10	<u>Full Name of Spouse</u>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

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FAMILY GROUP No.

Husband's Full Name Robert C. Fairchild

This Information Obtained From:

From Oral and written

statements by Charlie T.

Wright (uncle of compiler)

Clarke County and

Fairchild to Joseph G. Brown

Marriage records

Places of Residence

1850 Clarke Co Ms

+ 1880 Clarke Co Ms

Census Records

Occupation

Church Affiliation

Military Rec.

Other wives, if any, No. (1) etc.

Make separate sheet for each wife.

His Father George Fairchild

Mother's Maiden Name Elijah Dolly

Mrs. Sarah J. (Davis) Garrison

Wife's Full Maiden Name

Wife's Date

Day Month Year

City, Town or Place

County or Province, etc.

State or Country

Add. Info. on Wife

Birth About 1844

Chr'd

Death

Burial

Compiler Robert H. Wright

Address/PO Box 4 Wooddale Rd

City, State/Nashville, TN

Date

Her Father John W. Garrison

Mother's Maiden Name

Children's Names in Full

(Arrange in order of birth)

1 Archelia Fairchild

Full Name of Spouse^a John E. Wright 1857

Marion F. Weaver

Birth 22 Oct 1867

Mar. 22 Apr 1883

Death 2 Mar. 1957

Burial Woodlawn Cemetery, Memphis, Tennessee

2 Nancy C. Fairchild

Full Name of Spouse^a L. N. McDonald

Birth 1868

Mar. 23 Dec 1885

Death

Burial

3 Emma T. Fairchild

Full Name of Spouse^a Hodges

Birth 1873

Mar.

Death

Burial

4 Ida Florence Fairchild

Full Name of Spouse^a Thomas Andrew Wright

Birth Aug 1875

Mar. 28 Oct 1895

Death Aug 1914

Burial Fairchild Cemetery, Lauderdale, MS

5

Full Name of Spouse^a

Birth

Mar.

Death

Burial

6

Full Name of Spouse^a

Birth

Mar.

Death

Burial

7

Full Name of Spouse^a

Birth

Mar.

Death

Burial

8

Full Name of Spouse^a

Birth

Mar.

Death

Burial

9

Full Name of Spouse^a

Birth

Mar.

Death

Burial

10

Full Name of Spouse^a

Birth

Mar.

Death

Burial

Marriage records in Clarke Co 1881-1889
 New J. Fairchild to Joseph G. Brown 1/9/1888
 Cont. New J. Fairchild to Joseph G. Brown 1/2/1883

First historical record in Clarke Co 1881
 Believeable date and person were in Mississippi at that time

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1900 MS Census: Tunnel Hill, Lauderdale County		Birth	Mar. 1853			MS	
		Chr'd					
		Mar.	13 Feb. 1815	Lauderdale Co.	MS		
		Death	After 1906				
		Burial					
Information from: Mrs. Jean Wilhore Inverness, Florida		Places of Residence					
Tauderdale County, MS Marriage Record		Occupation	Church Affiliation			Military Rec.	
		Other wives, if any, No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.					
		His Father Jack M. Fairchild	Mother's Maiden Name Eliza Jones				
Compiler Robert H. Wright		Wife's Full Maiden Name Caledonia L. (Callie) Irby					
Address 1804 Woodlawn Dr City, State Nashville, TN		Wife's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
		Birth	Mar. 1858			MS	
		Chr'd					
		Death					
		Burial					
Places of Residence		Church Affiliation					
Occupation if other than Housewife		Other husbands, if any, No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.					
Date March 26, 1993		Her Father	Irby			Mother's Maiden Name	
Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Child
m	1 Harmon Fairchild Full Name of Spouse	Birth	Oct 1879			MS	
m	2 Robert E. Fairchild Full Name of Spouse	Birth	Nov. 1880			MS	
m	3 Percy Fairchild Full Name of Spouse	Birth	May 1883				
f	4 Vivian Fairchild Full Name of Spouse J. Q. Adams	Birth	Aug 1885			MS	Wright Book in Lauderdale County Book
f	5 Linda Fairchild Full Name of Spouse	Birth	Sep 1887			MS	
f	6 Myrtle Fairchild Full Name of Spouse	Birth	Dec. 1891			MS	
f	7 Irene Fairchild Full Name of Spouse	Birth	Oct 1896			MS	
8		Birth					
9		Birth					
10		Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

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This Information Obtained From:		Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband	
1900 Census Clarke Co. MS Zeitman		Birth	8 Nov. 1845					
Marriage Records of Clarke Co., MS 1867-1873		Chr'dnd						
Sable or Fairchild Cemetery records listed in Book of History of Clarke County MS.		Mar.	12 Feb 1868	Clarke	MS			
		Death	26 Feb. 1907					
		Burial		Sable	Clarke	MS Sable Cemetery		
Places of Residence		Occupation			Church Affiliation		Military Rec.	
Compiler Robert H. Fairchild		Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each wife.						
Address 1004 Woodrake Dr., City, State) Ashville, TN		His Father Jack M. Fairchild			Mother's Maiden Name Eliza Goller			
Cemetery Records Montrose Baptist Church Cemetery		Wife's Full Maiden Name Mary J. Small						
Mrs. Jean Gilmore Inverness, Florida		Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife	
Marriage Records of Clarke Co. MS 1931-1934		Birth	6 Jan 1847			MS		
Compiler Robert H. Fairchild		Chr'dnd						
Address 1004 Woodrake Dr., City, State) Ashville, TN		Death	1 Jan 1934			MS		
Date 3/26/1993		Burial		Montrose Baptist Church Cemetery Clarke Co. MS				
Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)		Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Child	
m 1	Walter Fairchild	Birth	19 Nov 1876			MS		
m 2	Robert Lee Fairchild	Mar.						
m 3	George W. Fairchild	Death	11 Nov. 1915			MS		
m 4	Lafon Brooks Fairchild	Burial		Buried in Sable Cemetery Sable MS				
m 5	Emma Fairchild	Birth	7 Feb 1879			MS		
m 6	Charles F. Fairchild	Mar.						
m 7	Eddie Green Fairchild	Death	15 Aug 1886			MS		
m 8	Mettie E. _____	Burial		Buried in Sable Cemetery Sable, Clarke Co. MS				
m 9	Addie mega Fairchild	Birth	3 Feb 1886			MS		
m 10	Jack C. Fairchild	Mar.						
m 11	Carrie O. Fairchild	Death						
m 12	W.E. Carter	Burial						

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FAMILY GROUP No.

Husband's Full Name *Thomas Callahan*

This Information Obtained From:

Husband's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	7 May 1851	Clarke Co	MS		
Chr'nd					
Mar.	3 Feb 1875	Clarke Co	MS		
Death	19 Jan 1899	Gulf 1906			
Burial					

Places of Residence

Marriage Records of	Occupation	Church Affiliation	Military Rec.
Clarke Co. MS, b.			

Information supplied by
 David Parker Sr 10330 Shreveport Rd.
 Biloxi, MS. 39532

His Father	Wife's Full Maiden Name	Mother's Maiden Name
	Melissa Ann Fairchild	

Compiler Robert W. Wright

Address	Occupation if other than Housewife	Church Affiliation
1004 Woodvale Dr. City, State Nashville, TN 37204		

Date 3-26-93

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Date	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Child
1	Jack Monroe Callahan <small>(Full Name of Spouse: Charles E. Gray b. 1878 (3) Mary wife: Gray d. 1875</small>	Birth	23 Mar 1876	Clarke Co.	MS		
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
2	Mary Alice Callahan <small>(Full Name of Spouse: b. 1877 William Franklin Crompton</small>	Birth	12 Feb 1879	Clarke Co.	MS		
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3	Viola C. Callahan <small>(Full Name of Spouse:</small>	Birth	20 Aug 1884	Clarke Co.	MS		
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
4	Amie Leona Callahan <small>(Full Name of Spouse: Leonard White d. 1921</small>	Birth	23 Oct 1886				<small>Did not Childbirth</small>
		Mar.					<small>Leonard White: not known where</small>
		Death	6/1 1921				
		Burial					
5	Charlie Napoleon Callahan <small>(Full Name of Spouse: Jessie Alvarado Riley b. 3/4/59)</small>	Birth	8 Feb 1889	Mundean Fort Lauderdale	FL	MS	
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
6	<small>Full Name of Spouse:</small>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
7	<small>Full Name of Spouse:</small>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
8	<small>Full Name of Spouse:</small>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
9	<small>Full Name of Spouse:</small>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10	<small>Full Name of Spouse:</small>	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

Karen Kerr must be descended from Thomas' 7th child.

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HUSBAND John Fairchild		Husband				
Born _____ Chr. _____ Died _____ Bur. _____	Place _____ Place _____ Place _____ Place _____ Place _____	Ward 1. Examiners: 2. Stake or Mission				
HUSBAND'S FATHER HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES	HUSBAND'S MOTHER					
WIFE Elizabeth Keaton ??						
Born _____ Chr. _____ Died _____ Bur. _____	Place _____ Place _____ Place _____ Place _____					
WIFE'S FATHER	WIFE'S MOTHER					
WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS						
CHILDREN <small>M List Each Child (Whether Living or Dead) In Order of Birth. F SURNAME (CAPITALIZED) GIVEN NAMES</small>		WHEN BORN	WHERE BORN		DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE	WHEN DIED
		DAY MONTH YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY TO WHOM	DAY MONTH YEAR
1	FAIRCHILD William H.	1 May 1861	Ellienville Miss.	Jones	Miss	12 June 1946
2	" Mollie	" "	"	Jones	Miss	
3	" Wine		Ellienville Miss	Jones	Miss	
4						
5						
6						
7						
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11						
SOURCES OF INFORMATION		OTHER MARRIAGES			NECE	
<small>ENTER ALL DATA IN THIS ORDER: DATES: 14 Apr 1794 To indicate that a child is an ancestor of the family representative, place an "X" behind the number pertaining to that child.</small>						

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SUSANNA FAYE FAIRCHILD EMIGRATED FROM S.C. TO GA. TO MISS.

Birth CIRCA 1769-1771 Place
Church PROBABLY BAPTIST CHURCH IN GA. Place NEAR RAYNEDD, HINDS CO. MISS.
Death 1833 Place RAYNEDD, MISS. IN THE CEMETERY
Burial BELIEVED IN PALESTINE CHURCHYARD
Father POSSIBLY JOHN T. FAIRCHILD Mother (Maiden Name) UNKNOWN
Married NO RECORD OF MARRIAGE Place PROBABLY S.C. FACEFFALE CO. BAPTIST
Other Wives (if any) SUSANNA BATTLE REGAN - WIDOW OF JOHN REGAN OF GA.

WIFE SARAH BROOKS

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Birth ? Place
Church ? Place
Death SEPT-1828 NO PROOF Place NEAR RAYNEDD, MISS.
Burial Place
Father WILLIAM BROOKS Mother (Maiden Name) UNKNOWN
Other Hus. (if any)

COURT No. 1
Where was information shown on this family record obtained?

LEWISBURG, PA. 1790
" MISS. & GA. 1826
Cemetery & Bibles Records (miss)
HINDS CO. MISS. Court Records

Name and address of person submitting this sheet:

MARY A. GREENBARGER
908 MAIN ST.
NATCHITOCHES, MISS. 39120

NAME OR FEMALE	CHILDREN (Give names in full in order of birth)	WHEN BORN Or Mo. Yr.	WHERE BORN Town County	State or Country	DIED Day Mo. Yr.	MARRIED	
						Date	To
	ELIAS FAIRCHILD	1791	EAGRFIELD	S.C.	CIRCA 1810-18	to MARGARET M. (BROWN?)	
	MARY FAIRCHILD	CIRCA 1789	" "	" "	1846	Date?	To MARY STEELE
	MARGARET FAIRCHILD	OCT 1 1803	GA		AUG 13, 1818	Date Nov. 1, 1827	To SAMUEL HENRICK
	ELIAS FAIRCHILD	1805	" " "			Date? MARY J. IN GEORGIA	To J. E. DENNIS
	ELIAS FAIRCHILD	" 1807	GEORGIA			Date? MARY J. IN GEORGIA	to ELIAS GALLION
	ELIAS FAIRCHILD	1809	" "		SEPT 17, 1818	Date? NOV 1, 1833, 2ND M.	To REBECCA STEWART
8						Date	To
9						Date	To
10						Date	To
11						Date	To
12						Date	To
13						Date	To

NOTE: BIRTH DATE OF WM. M. (No. 2) NOT PROVEN - PROBABLY ELDEST SON

JNO. II (No. 1) BORN 1791 AFTER 1792 S.C. CENSUS, HARRIET MATILDA (No. 3) JOHN A. REGAN

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SUSANNA William, Fairchild Lived EMIGRATED FROM S.C. TO GA. TO MISS.
 Birth CIRCA 1770 Place of Birth UNKNOWN
 Church LUCASVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH, HARRISBURG, S.C.
 Death 1853 Place HARRISBURG, S.C. IN THE COUNTY
 Burial Place BELLEVUE IN LAKE TINNICK HARRISBURG
 Father POSSIBLY FRED T. FAIRCHILD Mother (Unknown Name) UNKNOWN
 Married NO RECORD OF DATE Place PROBABLY S.C. FAIRFIELD 2nd Dist.
 Other Wives if any SUSANNA BATTLE REGAN - WIDOW OF JNO. REGAN OF GA.

WIFE Sarah Brooks

Birth Place
 Church Place
 Death SEPTEMBER 1828 No Roof Place ANDERSON, SOUTH CAROLINA
 Burial Place
 Father WILLIAM BROOKS Mother Maiden Name UNKNOWN
 Other Husbands if any

Print Name
 Where was information submitted on this form
 If record obtained?
 Date A.D. 1780
 U.S. & CANADA
 COUNTRY & PLACES (MILITARY)
 HINDS CO. MISS. COURT RECORD

Name and address of person submitting this sheet:

MARY A. KRISCHNER
308 MAIN ST.
NATCHEZ, MISS. 39120

NAME or FAMILY	CHILDREN Name, sex, & full in order of birth	WIFE, BORN Mo. Yr.	WHERE BORN Town County	State or Country	DIED Day Mo. Yr.	MARRIED	
						Date	To
1. JOHN A. FAIRCHILD	1791	CIRCA 1791	DUGFIELD	S.C.	CIRCA 1830-75	To MARGARET 1775 (BROWN)	Date?
2. WILLIAM MAGILL	CIRCA 1789	"	" "	"	1841	To MARGARET STEELE	Date NOV. 17 1822
3. HARRIET MATILDA FAIRCHILD	OCT. 1, 1803	"	"	"	OCT. 12, 1878	To SARAH HEARING	Date
4. MARTHA CATHERINE	OCT. 1805	"	"	"	"	To MARGARET 1805 Georgia	Date
ELIZABETH FAIRCHILD	1807	"	"	"	"	To MARGARET 1805 Georgia	Date
JAMES B. FAIRCHILD	1811	"	"	"	Sept 17, 1878	To REBECCA STEWART	Date
8						To	Date
9						To	Date
10						To	Date
11						To	Date
12						To	Date
13						To	Date

Fairchild Descendants Notes: BIRTH DATE UNKNOWN (and) MARY REGAN - PROBABLY ELIAS SON

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The Coming to America GENEALOGICAL FILE

One could easily take the story of mankind, give it a setting in American colonial times and repeat again for history the story of a people, primitive though they may be, but with the ingenious inheritance of a medieval kinsman, come from nothing to a well organized community in less than thirty years. . . . In the new world those who first came reverted in a sense backward, due to the uncivilized Indian tribes who populated the continent and who, by necessity, used prehistoric methods in their everyday way of life.

It is in this setting we find the family leaving Europe seeking, as did others, a place to live. Whatever the reasons, those who were willing to brave the unknown must have had the spirit that has made this nation the greatest on earth. When we consider the fact that the coming of the Family of Fairchild from England happened in 1623 and, knowing the colonies had little supervision from the mother country and were left to their own initiative, we marvel at the speed with which they adjusted themselves. It is then we realize the coming of Thomas Fairchild must be credited to his fortitude and his belief in the destiny of an unknown land. It is this trait of the family that still prevails. And it is this the family should feel proud of. It carried Thomas Fairchild through many battles for existence and is a lesson handed down to his offspring of how to survive in many ways.

Whether it be in Connecticut, the Carolinas, or Mississippi, wherever the name "Fairchild" appears, one will find habits, traditions and beliefs the same. It was in Connecticut that the family, like others, had to fight their hardest battles. The frontier of New England was the proving ground of man's ability to survive. . . . their stability in any effort was soon proven or disproven, those who were weak soon gave way to

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a more hardy species, which resulted in the America of today.

It is true the Family of Fairchild had help from the Crown, in their coming to America. Their Coat of Arms, well established long before they sailed, had nothing to do with the fight for existence after their arrival. Like most families, they readily adapted themselves to the habits and mode of living of the times. Being in the lesser realm of the Royal House of England, little attention did they receive from the ruling heads of state and they were treated as step-children, which they were.

To feel proud of the first comers to America is taken by many as a matter of course, yet to be numbered among those who down through the years not only survived but went forward with their country and to be among the few families who can trace their ancestors as far back as the Family of Fairchild, it is indeed an honor. When one looks back to the fight of not only Thomas Fairchild, but all of those who came first, he can appreciate the circumstances of not having powder for their guns in their many Indian wars. It is then we are reminded of the times they had only their wits to keep them from the fire-stake. Oft times their weapons were nothing more than their ability to lose the enemy by fleetness of foot. They lived, they fought, they loved. . . . Such were the men and women who braved a new land to carve from the wilderness a new kind of nation, a new breed of people.

Of Thomas Fairchild's life before America we know little. Thomas was to live through all the hardships of the frontier and to leave imbedded deeply in the annals of legend and written history a story of a "Clan" - nothing outstanding, yet it is enough that the branches of his tree planted some three hundred years ago today spread their leaves across this broad land we call America.

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Of the original Thomas, part of the family moved into New York state at an early date. It is there today one finds the same hereditary customs, the same facial resemblance of the family who live in Mississippi. The same is found wherever one finds the name Fairchild, provided of course he is not an adopted son. Of their customs in seeking the end of the rainbow, this too was handed down, yet many of the family have lived in one place all their lives.

Of the family in Carolina, we find as early as 1797 Dr. Samuel Fairchild in the practice of medicine. He is believed to be the son of Curtis. As Samuel had a son by the name of Samuel, who was born in 1790, we know this must be the house of Curtis. Like the branch who emigrated to Mississippi, we have had at least two who were doctors and maybe more, - proof that like father like son, the vocation of the family is handed down through generations.

Of the sons of Thomas, the brother of Curtis and Robert, we are sure that after reading the will of Thomas (elsewhere in this biography), John, the oldest, went into service of the province as a land surveyor. He was instructed in early 1740 to survey some 20,000 acres of land for the Chickasaw Indians. As the Chickasaw Nation was centered around Philadelphia, Mississippi, it is believed the land in question lay south of the Choctaw boundary (the Choctaws were related closely to the Chickasaws) and was land given the Choctaws by Chief Pushmahata.

John's coming into the Indian Nation, it is believed, planted the seeds of discontent in his kin's minds, by his stories of such a beautiful land. Such stories must have been told when John was quite old as upon his return to the Province of Carolina, he soon moved into Georgia where he became Justice of the Peace, and signed his name John Thomas Fairchild. It was in Berkley County, Georgia that John raised his family and where his sister, after marriage, joined him. We believe this was Elisabeth,

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in 1773; and Sarah, in 1857. It is believed Samuel had another daughter who was born in 1759.

IV

Thomas, the brother of Samuel, it seems had five children: William, born in 1756; Lofton, in 1758; Robert, in 1760, Abram, no birth date, and John in 1764. The correct establishment of the families of Samuel and Thomas has a direct bearing on the family in their coming into Mississippi. It does, however, make Thomas about fifty-one years old at the time of his youngest child's birth. Considering the fact that women died young at that time leaves us to believe Thomas was married more than once.

Of Curtis' family there were few if any records that gave direct connections of any children or of whom he married. Again we find it a common practice, or habit, of the male and female branch of the Fairchild family to live in bachelorhood or to be an old maid. This could have happened in Curtis' case. Failing to establish a record does not mean Curtis never married. We know there were more Fairchilds in Carolina at this time. We failed, however, to find facts bearing out that any of them were of the house of Curtis.

What of Edward? Here again we are forced to omit authentic information as to whom Edward married or if he raised a family. As we find a family of Fairchilds on the Peegee River in the 1720s it is presumed they were of the house of Edward. Considering the habits of the family in naming their children the same name, with no other distinction, has made the writing of a biography a tiresome task. Then too, the family has cared little about leaving any recorded information of their ancestors. As stated previously the records show Thomas had five children, later we find he had a daughter named Elizabeth. IV

Of all Fairchilds many have the wanderlust and seek greener pastures.

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Movements of William Fairchild

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William, grandson of Thomas Fairchild, whose will is repeated in this biography, and one of the five brothers, first came to Natchez with his brother Abram about 1801-3. In 1805 we find William living in St. Landra Parish, Louisiana. It was there that several of his children were born and it is believed his first wife, Sarah, died. After the death of Sarah William returned to Mississippi and later married Susannah Regan. His return to the state finds him settled on the Homochitto river in 1816. It was there William prospered and would have remained except for a flood which destroyed most of his livestock and all of his crops. Discouraged, William again set out looking for land on which to build in the year 1819-20.

The movements of William after leaving the Homochitto homestead are questionable. We next find William in Hinds County in 1824, then in 1825 land was purchased in Green County. Whether he lived on the Green County homestead more than a short time or not is not known. We find him in Hinds County again in 1826. It was in Hinds county that he eventually settled near old Palestine church. It was at this place that William, after his second marriage, completed his life span. He died in 1827.

It seems that after the death of William's first wife he became quite unsettled. His moving from Louisiana to Mississippi did not prove as profitable financially as it should, due to his inability to sell his Louisiana holdings for the profit due on a plantation such as he had. Family legend does not show the Louisiana plantation was sold until after the death of William in 1827. It is said that John A. and James B. received most of their money from their father's holdings in Louisiana. Later events in the lives of both of these sons of William bear out the fact that their wealth in the 1850s came from some course. Of William May Fairchild, the third son of William, we do not find any great amount of wealth in his family, and

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or Sarah. As the family of the brothers at this time were well established in South Carolina, we find them visiting quite often.

Of necessity in our search for truth of the house of Fairchild, we again turn to the house of Robert, son of Thomas who first settled on the Pee Dee River. It is of the house of Robert that the family who came to Mississippi sprang. Reluctant though we are, we must rely to some extent on our imagination in the movements of the family in their trek into Georgia, then in their coming to Mississippi territory. Neither are we sure of a definite date or who was the first of the four brothers that came to the state. (We think they were William and Abram).

Of the sons of Robert, grandson of Thomas, there were five boys, William, Lofton, Robert, Abram and John. Of his daughters, we do not have the names, nor do we know if there were more sons. It is believed that William joined his Uncle John in Georgia first. Hearing the stories of his Uncle John and the time he surveyed the Chickasaw land, it is believed that he became infatuated to the extent of seeking a new home in such a country. This must have been at the turn of the century, as early as 1802. Yet we do not have records to bear out his coming to the state other than the fact a daughter of William who was born in Washington, Louisiana in 1805 died at ^{Sarah?} the home of a relative in Hinds County in 1859.

Since William eventually settled in Hinds County in 1819 and the family story says that one brother came into the territory before the coming of the others, we are led to believe that it was in reality William who first emigrated from South Carolina, by Georgia, into Louisiana, then a few years later joined his brothers John and Lofton.

Henry
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it might be that he was the half brother of the above named James and
John A.

It was in the early 1830s that James B. Fairchild purchased a plantation at "Fairchild Forks" as it is known today, a cross-road some ten miles from Utica on the Jackson and Utica road. The former owner, having lost his home and all his furnishings by fire, sold the land and slaves by auction in order to settle his debts. James' bid was the highest, and in the sale there was over a thousand acres of land, some ten slaves, livestock, farming tools, etc. James set about to replace the home which was lost by fire and from Simpson county he hauled the longleaf Pine logs for the rooms; for the lumber, as was the practice of the day, he "whippedsawed" by slave labor, joist, flooring and other necessary lumber to build ~~a~~home which has stood the ravages of time from that day to this (1957). The house, facing east with its front porch supported by large square columns, furnishes a beautiful setting for the large cedars and magnolias set when the house was originally built. The furniture, consisting of four-poster beds, marble top dressers imported from Italy, and of black onyx. The piano stands today as it did during the Civil War when General Sherman used the house as headquarters. The daughter of Dr. Joseph Fairchild, son of James and grandson of William, who fell heir to the property left in detail a report of her experience with the Yankees and her playing the piano for the General upon his request.

As one walks through the rooms today (1957) he lives again with his ancestors. Time in its swift flight through space means little, years, like a rose, bloom, then fade and die, yet you stand still and drink in the past, expecting each moment for someone to enter . . . then the spell is broken and you live again, not in the 1860s but in the present. Turning to your host Mrs. M'Neal, the wife of the great grandson of James, you ask

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to see other things of the past. When she hands you a small book of memoirs which Harriet, the daughter of Dr. Fairchild, left to posterity in childish devotion to their school teacher, of little stars cut and pasted upon a sheet of paper, a poem, hopes of a little girl's heart are put into words. You again live with those who like a rose, bloomed, lived and died.

Walking into another room one gazes upon the wall to find a family portrait, a family group, the father and mother, the children all in their 1860 dress. As one looks, a strange large frame catches the eye. Looking closer one finds flowers made of human hair, hair from the family and others. Some from the head of General Sherman, some from Jefferson Davis, the president of the Confederacy. As you look further you see flowers in bloom, all made of feathers, framed and left for those of today to gaze upon and to remind us of the patience necessary to achieve.

The old home of James stands today with little change, the old slave quarters which stood in a grove of stately oaks have long since been removed. The old forge which stood until the early part of 1900 leaves only ashes to remind one of the past. The home left, with little change, stands as a sentinel ever watching over her domain, daring, it seems, anyone to disturb her rest.

Thus William, one of the five brothers, and grandson of Thomas Fairchild, left to others the task of keeping for their ancestors the light of the House of Fairchild ever burning.

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brothers-- Thomas - Samuel - Robert- Edward
Edward had Robert 1775
Richard 1777
Thomas 1773
Samuel 1790
Thomas had- William 1756
Abram Lofton 1758
Robert 1760
John 1764- John moved around Philadelphia, Ms. and moved back to Ga.

Utica Cemetery- Unica, Ms-
Mary J. Fairchild Mar23, 1835- died July 17, 1859- wife of W. L.
W. L. Fairchild- May 2, 1819- died July 17, 1859
James M, Fairchild- 1857- son of Mary J. and W. L.- died July 17, 18
all three killed by falling of a tree
Pennina H. Fairchild- first wife of W. L- born 1831 died 1854.

Hind Co. Marriage Records- book 3, pg. 127
Harriet C. Fairchild to S. T. Yeard
John Fairchild gave land for Palestin Church, located 6 miles south of Raymond

Loftin Fairchild in Pike Co. in 1820- He was son of Thomas.

Goodspeed- pg. 186- Abstracts-
Elizabeth born 1842 of Jack and Eliza Jolly Fairchild; Eliza Virginia born 1849 child also- Jack born 1821 in Perry Co., Ms. son of Robert & Nancy Taylor Fairchild; moved to Jones Co, then to Lauderdale Co- married Eliza Jolly in 1840 issue- Jack born 1841
James born 1841
Lizzie born 1837- Hinds Co. married Dr. H. T. T. Dupree- died 1863
Lofton
Martha J
Melissa An-
Nathan
Robert

Robert born in S. C. about 1760, married Nancy Taylor about 1783 and moved to Ms. in 1812 and died about 1833.

William (son of Robert F.) purchased land near his Uncle Wm. He married a daughter of Founder of Stafford Springs near Meridian and had Robert J. and Jack and a girl His valuation was \$10,000 in Hinds. When his first wife died, he left kids and moved to Covington and Copiah Co, and married Louisa Diekenson- They had Sarah, Eleline, James, W., Mary Nancy, John Angus, Charity, Rachael, Louisa

His father , Robert, was living with his 3rd wife and died 1833. Wm. took over. He was weathy in Jones and Covington Counties. In 1859, at age 49, He returned to S. C. with John A, the son of his Uncle William and his Uncle John to claim his grandfather's estate.

Hinds Co inventory of estates 1823-1835 rolls 878-746

Wm. H. Fairchild- guardian of heirs of Lofton(brother)

Lofton's heirs refer to Elbert, Wm, and James.

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Information from Mrs. Robert Scott

Fairchilds came into S. C. about 1700. Two brothers, Thomas and Richard. Both left wills - Tom married Elizabeth? Richard married Ann Bellenger, daughter of Edmund Bellinger, had land grant in S. C. Probably came from Connecticut. The first Tom in Conn. was 1621-1630. He married twice and the Stratford records show his marriage and children. However, Tom of Charleston, S. C. died 1730, and left will and mentions several sons. Wm., who once lived in Edgefield, S. C. and in Baldwin Co., Ga. had land adjoining our Gallman line in Baldwin Co. His daughter Martha married Tilas Gallman in Gallman co. in 1811, and went to Hinds Co. to live. Wm. married 3 times and one wife, Sarah was daughter of Wm. Brooks and Sarah? of Savannah, Ga. Wm., the grandson of Thomas. Patsy Martha married Feb. 28, 1811 to Tilas Gallman. He died young and she married in 1833 Jonathon Catchings - no issue. She died 1854. Tilas left an estate in Hinds Co. All Fairchilds were episcopallinas in S. C.. Wm. married 3 times - Catherine Colison - no issue 2, Sarah Brooks, dau of Wm. and Sarah Brooks of Savannah, Ga. and 3. Susanna Battle Reagan, a widow. Robert married 3 times (S. C.) Nancy Taylor (daughter of James Taylor and? Hester of Newberry Co. S. C. 1750 2. Sarah Wigg 1754, and 3 Christina McCloud 1772. Had children by all.

Jack Fairchild, son of Robert who was planter born 1760 in S. C. and married Nancy Taylor 1783 of Newberry, S. C.. He moved to Ms. in 1812, and died 1853. Nancy died 1849. Jack, their son was born 1821 in Perry County and then Clarke Co. on Energy and Enterprise Rd. He married Eliza JOHLY.

The above Robert had father Thomas. Thomas married Sarah Seabrooks. Thomas had Wm., Thomas, Robert, and Elizabeth. Thomas's son Robert had Lofton born 1758, Wm. born 1756, Robert born 1760 (father of Jack) Abram and John born 1764.

Wm., son of Robert and Grandson of Thomas came to Natchez with brother Abram about 1801-1803. In 1805, he was living in St. Landra Parish, La. His wife, Sarah Brooks died here and he married Susanna Reagen, a widow. He was in Hinds Co. in 1824, Greene Co in 1825, Hinds in 1826. He settled near Old Palestine Church and died 1827.

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November 7, 1992

Mrs. Jean Strickland
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Dear Jean,

In my genalogical searches, I have descendants in the Southeastern counties of MS and the Southwestern counties of Alabama. I use *PRODIGY* a lot and have gotten valuable information from Patricia Edwards.

Patricia gave me information that there is an article on the FAIRCHILD family written by Mrs. Robert Scott. She thinks you may have a copy of this article in the Genealogical department at the library there. If you do, could you make a copy of this and send to me? A SASE is enclosed. Let me know the expense of copying.

The Fairchild family lived in the Clarke and Lauderdale County area in the 1800's.

Sincerely,
Robert H. Wright
Robert H. Wright

P.S. Other families I am researching are:
Guinn's in Sumter, Washington and Choctaw Co. Ala.
Wright's in these same counties
(Both of these moved into S.E.Mississippi in the late 1800's)

*Minerly
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TOPIC: SURNAME A-L
TIME: 12/21 11:43 AM

TO: WAYLAND FAIRCHILD (FTNT69A)
FROM: ROBERT WRIGHT (JCCR62B)
SUBJECT: FAIRCHILD

Wayland...in the COMPENDIUM OF AMERICAN GENEALOGY by Vickus,
I find:

FAIRCHILD, Thomas (@1610-1670) from England, a founder of Stratford, Conn. 1639 and was first magistrate of the town; deputy general Ct. of Connecticut 1646, served 11 sessions; appointed by the Gen. Ct. to press men for the Narragansett expedition; m.(1) Emma, daughter of Robert Seabrook; m (2) in 1662 Catherine CRAIG (CRAGG) a widow.

In various volumes of this collection there are prominent FAIRCHILD'S listed with their ancestry. I found the following listed as children of Thomas:

SAMUEL FAIRCHILD, ZACHARIAH FAIRCHILD (1651-1703), EMMA FAIRCHILD (1653-1732), and PRISCILLA FAIRCHILD b. 1669. These books list lines of descent from each of these, but do not list all the children of each. I will list these as I have them. However, as I said previously, I do not have the link in my files of the Robert FAIRCHILD in S.C. other than a reference that he is a descendant of the Thomas in Conn. In descending order here are pedigrees of the children of Thomas FAIRCHILD as listed in the Compendium.

Samuel FAIRCHILD 1640-1704 m. Mary Wheeler

Samuel FAIRCHILD (1682-1761) m. Dianah Burwell

Stephen FAIRCHILD (1725-1802) m. Lavinia Beardsley

Truman FAIRCHILD (1768-1859) m. Polly or Mary Ashley

Heman FAIRCHILD (1827-1914) m(1) Fanny McGockin

(2) Flore Ida Burbank

Mary Ashley FAIRCHILD b.12/30/1884 m.James Pirie

.....
The following is from another son of Samuel son of Thomas:

Edward FAIRCHILD m.Elizabeth Blakeman

Moses FAIRCHILD (1721-1787) m Susanna Bosworth

Daniel FAIRCHILD (1762-1831) m. Mary Butler

Grandison FAIRCHILD (1792-1890) m Nancy Harris

George Thompson FAIRCHILD (1838-1901) m.Charlotte

Pearl Halstead

Edwin Milton FAIRCHILD (1865-) m.Mary Salome Cutler

Edwin's brother David Grandison FAIRCHILD (4/7/1869) m.

Alexander Graham Bell's daughter Mary Hubbard Graham Bell.

(note: Samuel also had a son Ebenezer who m. Mary Vestal >

Zachariah FAIRCHILD (1651-1703) m. Hannah Beach

Caleb FAIRCHILD (1693-1777) m. Anne (Sherwood) Trowbridge

Matthew FAIRCHILD (1720-1790) m Sarah Freeman

Esther FAIRCHILD (1777-1831) m. Jonathan Dean

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Zachariah has another line listed as follows:

Abiel FAIRCHILD (?) m ?
Abiel FAIRCHILD m. Zerviah Johnson
Molly FAIRCHILD m. in 1788 James Smith
Thomas's daughter, Priscilla m. Benjamin Baldwin
Thomas's daughter, Emma m. Hachaliah Preston >>>
In the line of Thomas to Samuel to Edward to Moses as listed above, Moses had a son Daniel who m. Mary Buckle and Daniel had a son Deacon Daniel m. Octavia Briggs.
The above Edward also had a son Ebenezer m. Sarah Kimberly, they had Clement m. Sarah Platt, they had Beman FAIRCHILD who married Polly Ann FAIRCHILD, daughter of Joseph son of Capt Giles FAIRCHILD.

Hope you can make sense out of the above. I would like to have what you have on the Fairchilds.

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TOPIC: SURNAME A-L
TIME: 12/22 6:21 PM

TO: WAYLAND FAIRCHILD (FTNT69A)
FROM: ROBERT WRIGHT (JCCR62B)
SUBJECT: FAIRCHILD

Wayland...until three months ago, all i knew was that my grandmother was a Fairchild. Her name was Ida Florence Fairchild, she was born in Clarke County Miss. Now all of a sudden I have more FAIRCHILD's than I know what to do with. An article in Goodspeed's HISTORICAL AND BIOGRAPHICAL MEMOIRS OF MISSISSIPPI tells about her father, JACK FAIRCHILD, son of ROBERT FAIRCHILD and NANCY TAYLOR.

The article tells that Robert and Nancy came to MS in early 1800's from Newberry S.C. Robert was the son of Thomas who was the son of another Robert FAIRCHILD of Charlestown S.C. The article further states that they are descended from Thomas Fairchild who came from England and settled in Conn. in 1623.

As to your Joseph being a son of Thomas, the source I used did not list all of Thomas's children. I have read that Thomas left a will and that it mentions all his children. I believe it is in something called the STRATFORD PAPERS. I do not know where to locate this yet. >>>

As I said, I am new to the research of the Fairchild line, but I am digging. I am sure that the information has been researched by many others as Thomas has a fairly large list of notable descendants.

It seems that more of the most prominent were descended from Samuel, son of Thomas. Here are some more I found in another series of books:

On the line of Thomas to Grandison that I previously noted, Grandison FAIRCHILD and Nancy Harris were parents of James Harris FAIRCHILD and Edward Henry FAIRCHILD (1815-1899) m. Marie Ball. Edward was a president of Berea (KY)College. Another decendency is as follows:

Thomas FAIRCHILD m Emma (Faith) Seabrook
Samuel FAIRCHILD m. Elizabeth Blakeman
Abram FAIRCHILD m. Rachel Scribner
John FAIRCHILD m Abigail Wakeman
David FAIRCHILD m. Charlotte Geyer
Eli FAIRCHILD m. Grace Dinnon (Sturges)
David Sturges FAIRCHILD b.1847 m. Wilhemenia Tattersall

There are some other prominent people listed in this series of Biographical Dictionary. Here are a couple more:
George Winthrop FAIRCHILD b 5/6/1854 was a former Congressman and financier of New York. He was descended throught Samuel, Samuel,Jr., and a Jesse FAIRCHILD.
Herman Leroy FAIRCHILD 4/29/1850-11/29/1943 a geologist, was

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descended through Abraham, Asa, and Harmon Canfield
FAIRCHILD.

Don't know if any of this helps, but it may help someone who
is monitoring the board.

I'll keep digging until I make the connection through the
Robert in S.C. back to Thomas in Conn. If I find anything,
will let you know. Robert in Nashville, TN

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TOPIC: SURNAME A-L
TIME: 12/26 6:00 PM

TO: DIXIE WYERS (FWWC47A)
FROM: GAYLE WEED (GDNS83B)
SUBJECT: LAIRD-MITCHELL DONEG

Dixie--I am working a Leard line from N. Ireland-SC-GA-AL
and beyond. My line is:

Samuel Sr. (b @1725 N. Ireland, d 1821 SC)

Samuel Jr. (b @1764 N. Ireland, d 1807 Ill????)

Alexander (b 1792 SC, d 1851 Neshoba Co, Miss.)

James O. (b 1817 SC, d 1905 Sumter Co, Ala.)

I have a good bit of info on the Leard/Laird lines and will
look through it to see if I have anything on your line.

Am especially interested in your Rushing connection. Do
you have any more info on Elvey Rushing?

Gayle HSV, Ala.

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